COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

PUBLIC GAS COMPANY FOR A)
PURCHASED GAS ADJUSTMENT)

CASE NO. 8186-G

ORDER

On September 1, 1983, Public Gas Company filed its Notice with the Commission wherein it proposes to increase its rates for gas service on and after September 20, 1983.

The Commission is of the opinion and finds that a hearing and investigation will be necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that such investigation cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED That the proposed rates, charges and classifications be and they hereby are suspended and the application of the rates is deferred for five months on and after September 20, 1983.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That this case be and it hereby is set for hearing on October 21, 1983, at 9:30 a.m., Eastern Daylight Time, in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering further Orders in this matter.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 14th day of September, 1983.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

For the Commission

ATTEST:

Secretary